

# Quad TR Carrier Resupply

#### Can Resupply Ships at Sea:

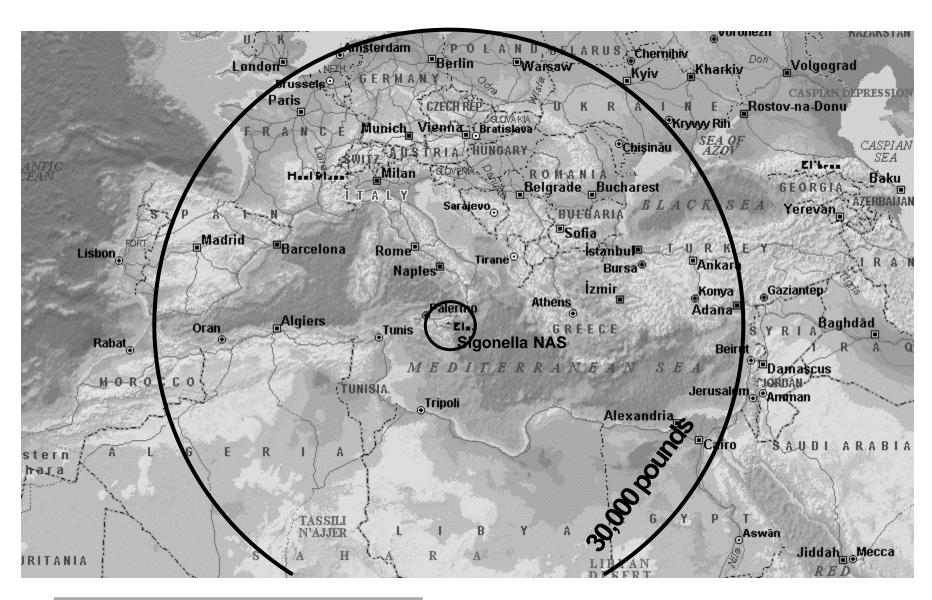
- Delivers up to 30,000 pounds, 1000 miles; refuel and return to base with 15,000 pounds
- Can load/unload during flight deck operations

**Enables Greater Sea Strike Capability** 

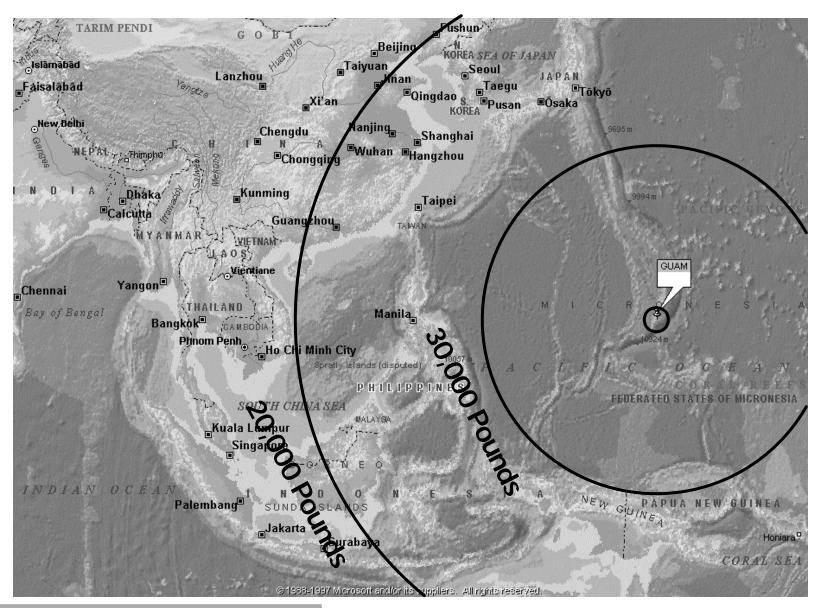
Not designed to go below deck



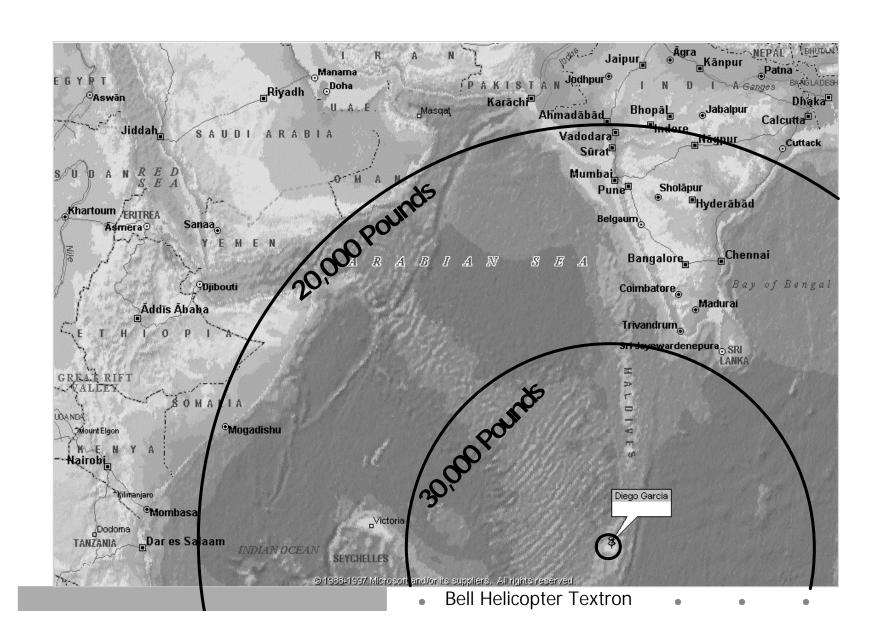
## Naval Resupply from Sigonella



## Quad TR Resupply from Guam

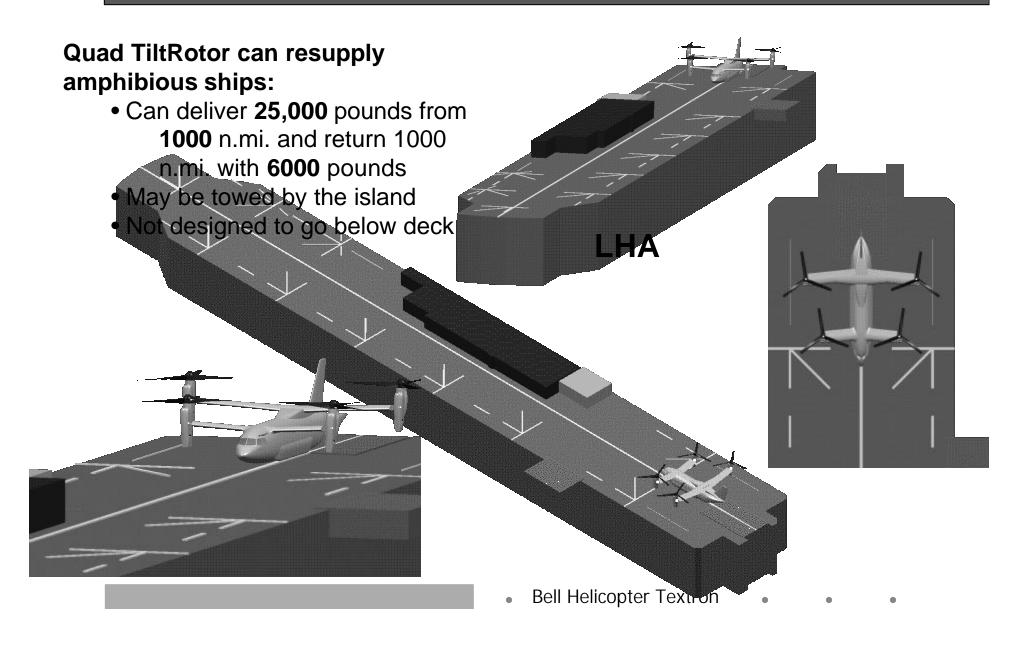


# Quad TR Capability in the Indian Ocean



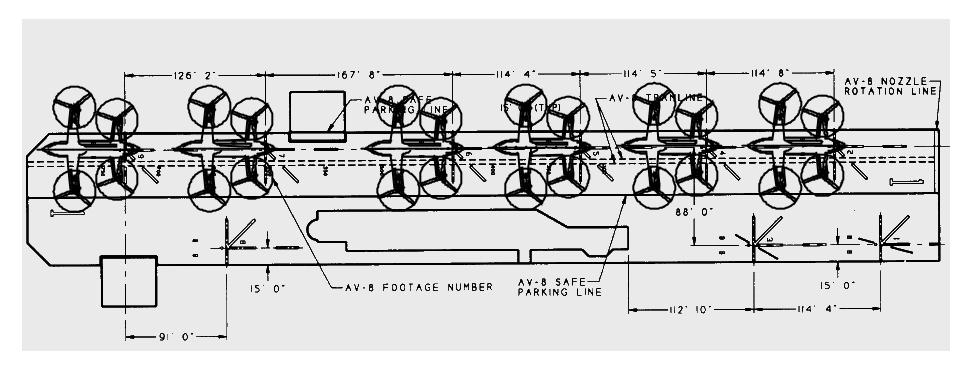


## Quad TR is Compatible with Amphibious Ships



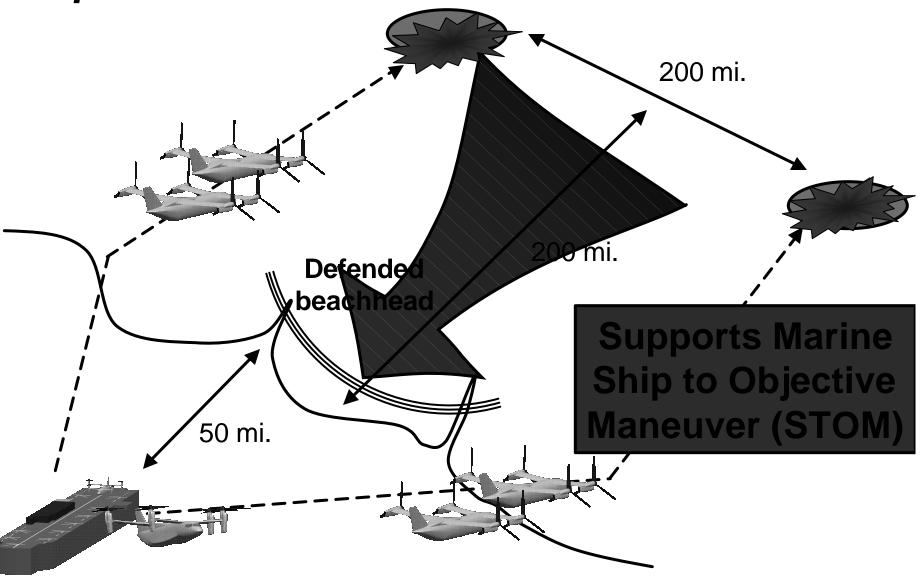


# QTRs on the LHD



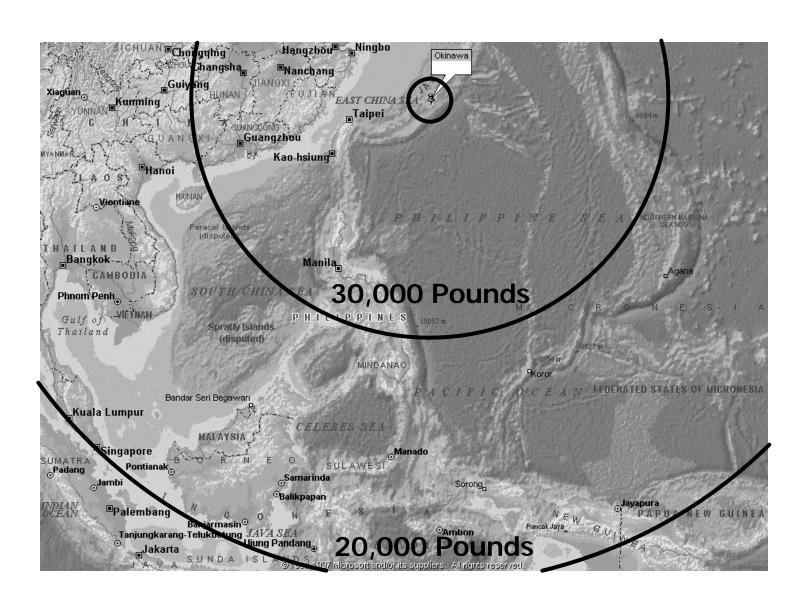
- Four operating spots possible
- Can be towed by the island

# QTR Resupply Enhances Marine Corps' Operational Maneuver From The Sea





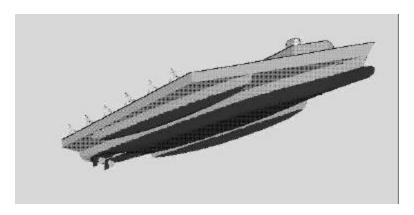
#### **Quad TR Support from Okinawa**

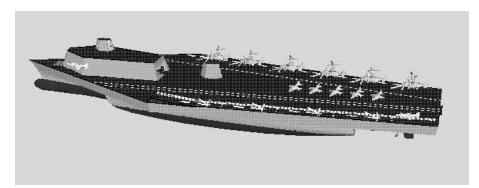


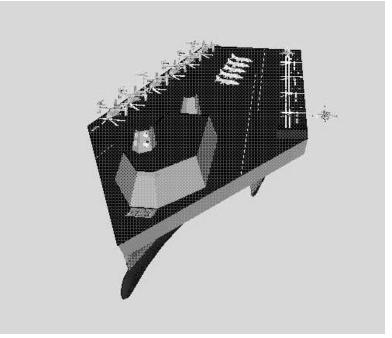


## **SSG 3 Ship ARG**

#### **The Concept**



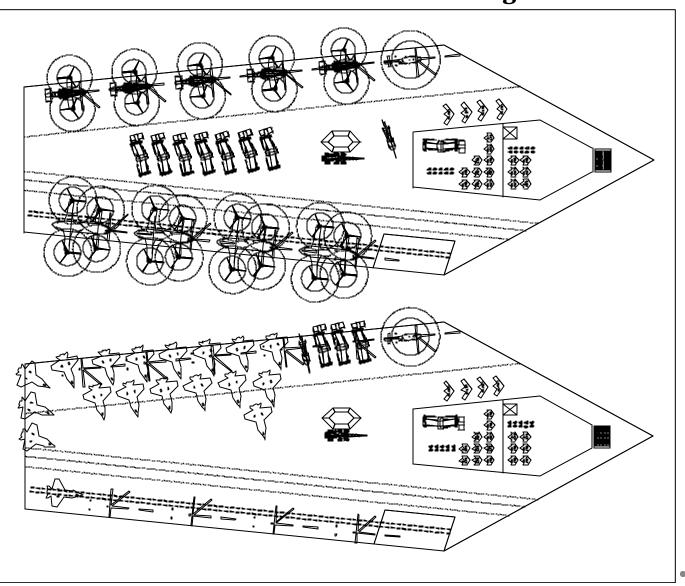






#### **SSG 3 Ship ARG**

#### **Notional Airwings:**



4 VHX (JTR) 13 VMX (MV-22) 1 UHX (UH-1R) 1 SAR (H-60) 20 UAV-M 20 UAV-S

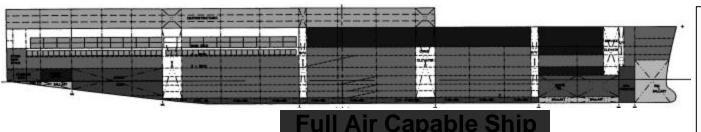
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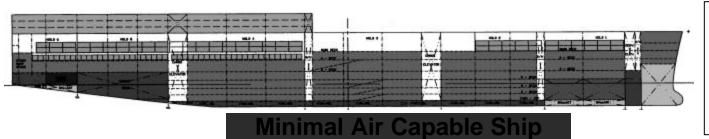
# **Present Marine MPF Ship**

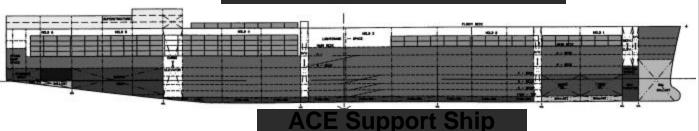




# **BLA Conceptual Ship Designs**







Ship Characteristics: Length overall: 1.034 ft Beam (waterline): 134 ft Beam (flight deck): 174 ft Draft (full load): 35 ft Displacement (full load): 93,000 LT

Speed: 25 kts

Aviation Support

**Engineering Spaces/Fuel** 

Ballast

O/RO Cargo

Accommodations: 3.279 RO/RO square: 194K ISO containers: 436 Cargo pallets: 3.840 Cargo fuel: 1.7 M gal

Accommodations: 5.018 RO/RO square: 258K ISO containers: 700 3,840 Cargo pallets: Cargo fuel: 2.1 M gal

Accommodations: 402 RO/RO square: 344K ISO containers: 1,758 Cargo pallets: Cargo fuel: 2 M gal

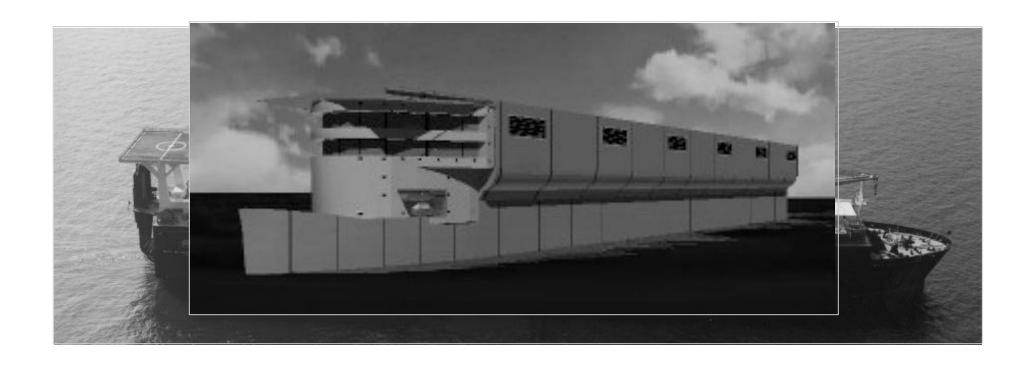
Cube Cargo

- Cargo Water

Cargo Fuel

# Postulated Marine MPF (Future)Ship







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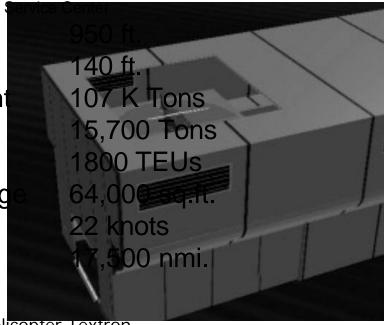




#### **Agrilog Inc. Design**

for Naval Facilities Engineering

- Length
- •Flight Deck
- Loaded weight
- Wet Cargo
- Dry Cargo
- Vehicle Storag
- Speed
- Range



Bell Helicopter Textron



## Postulated Future MPF Ship with QTRs

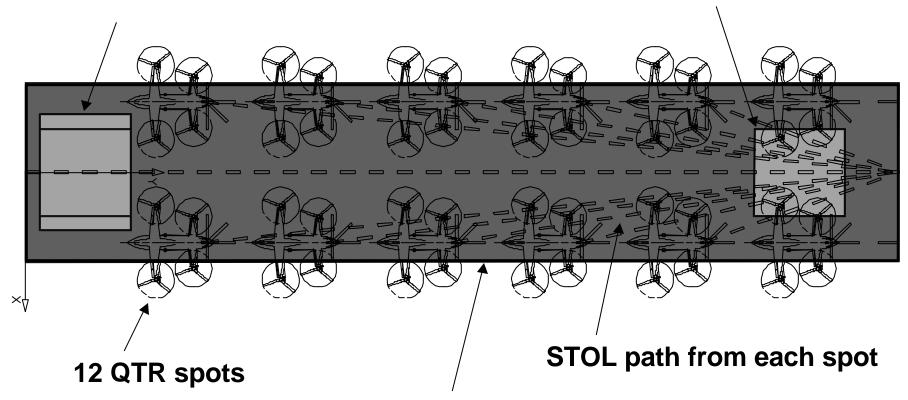




# Postulated MPF (Future) Ship

Optional 120.3' wide elevator takes unfolded QTR

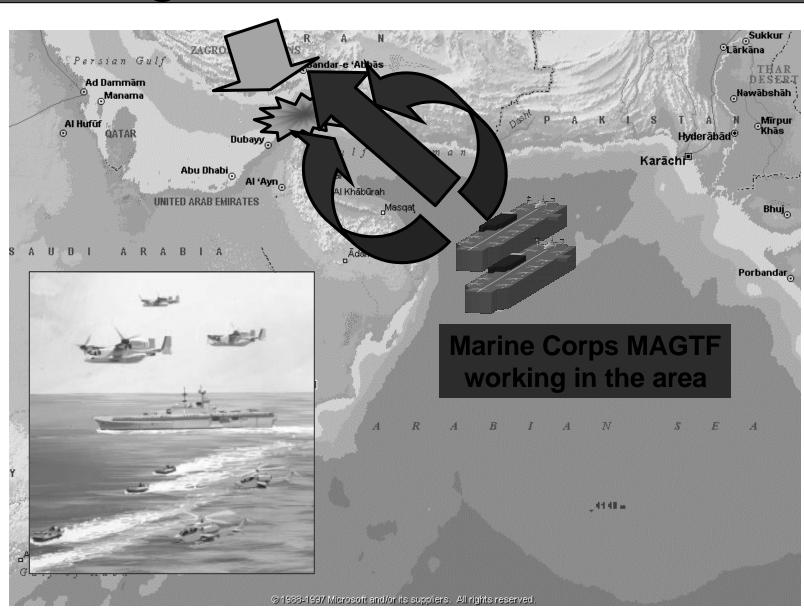
90.5' x 94.5' elevators take QTR with folded rotors



185' x 900' flight deck

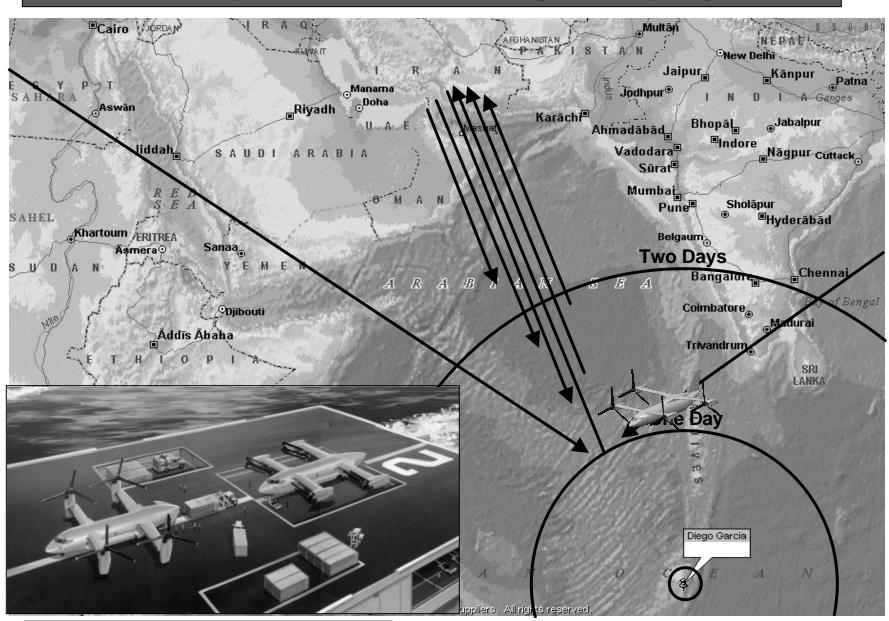
# Closing the Gulf







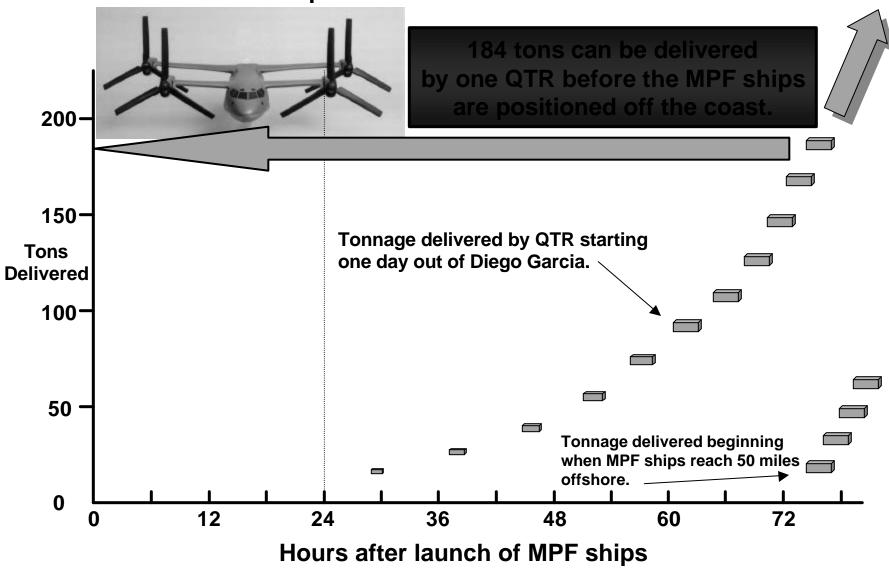
## QTR offers potential for early resupply



#### Resupply timeline comparison



One QTR aircraft operation

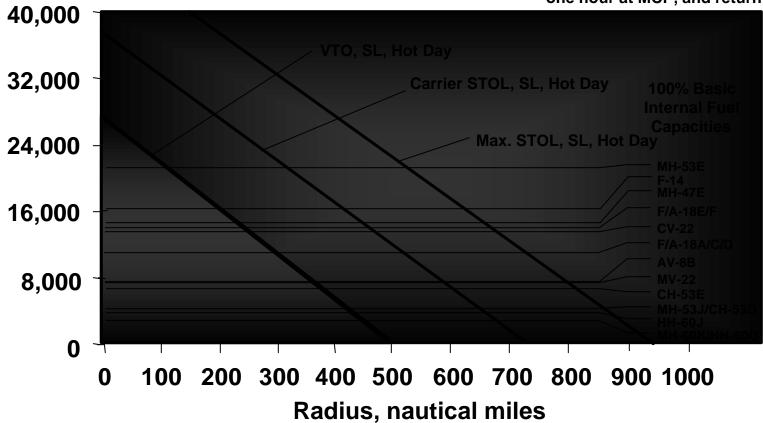




#### **Quad TR Standoff Fuel Delivery**

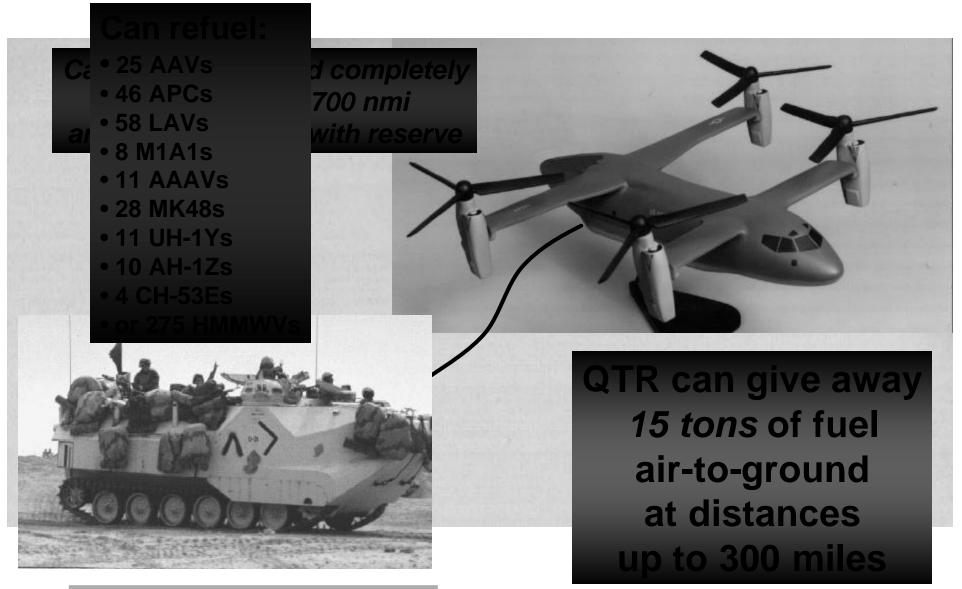


Mission: T/O, Optimum altitude/best range cruise, one hour at MCP, and return

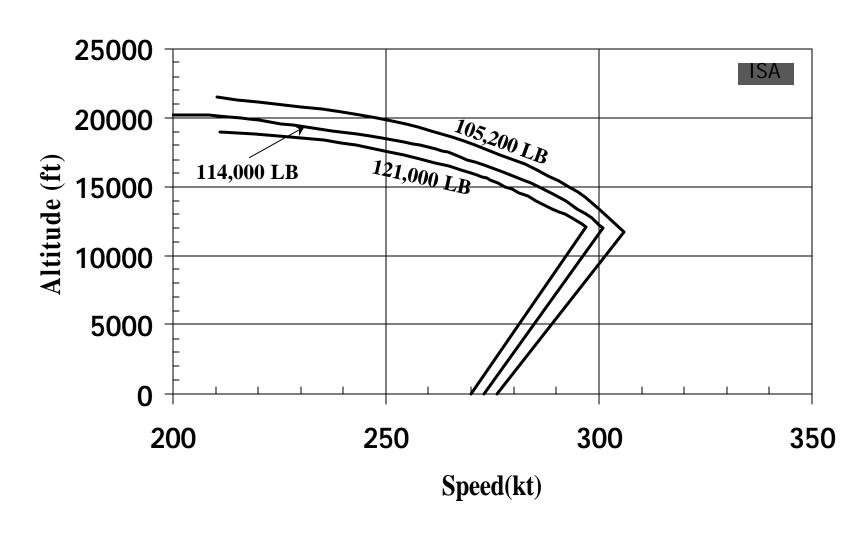




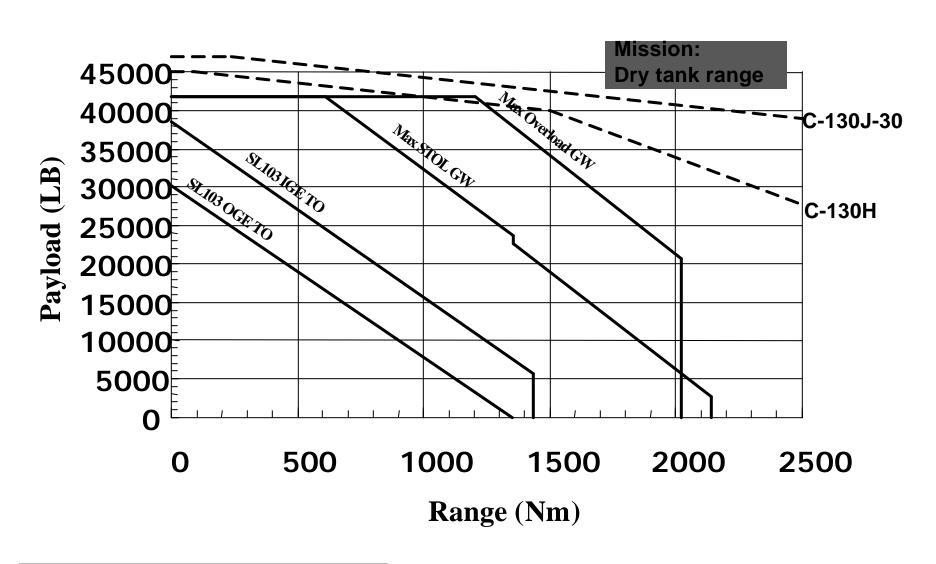
## Quad TR refueler for all services



# Quad TR Speed Altitude



## Quad TR: Significant Payload - Long Range

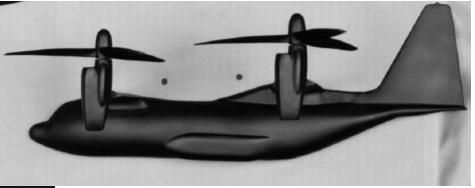


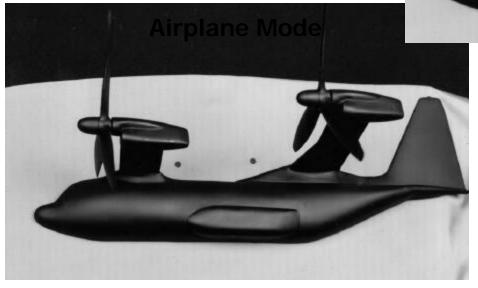


#### Quad TR Water Tunnel Model

- Lockheed Ft. Worth tunnel
- One/48th scale half-model
- C-130 fuselage shape
- V-22 wing, nacelles and rotors

#### **Helicopter Mode**





#### Initial tests show promise...





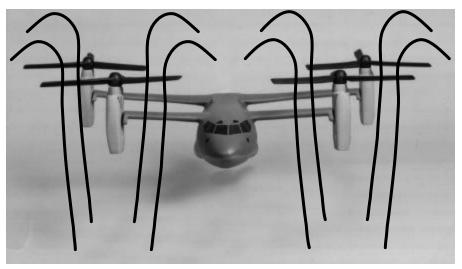




## Wing/Rotor Fwd/Aft Interference

# Forward Flight Rotor Wake Wing Tip Vortex

# TiltRotor Rotors are Lightly Loaded in Cruise Mode





#### **Helicopter mode:**

- Each rotor develops up to 25,000 pounds of thrust
- Disc Loading up to 22 PSF

#### Airplane cruise:

- Each rotor develops less than 3000 pounds of thrust
- Disc Loading 2.6 PSF

Preliminary calculations show forward rotor/wing wake impact on aft rotor/wing is manageable.

## DARPA QTR Phase 1 Schedule

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#### Phase I

**Concept Definition** 

Configuration Design

Wings

Drive System

Fuselage

VMS Development

Wind Tunnel Tests

Force & Moment A

.07 Scale TAMU

Download

Small Scale BHTI

Aeroelastic Semi-span

0.2 Scale NASA Langley

#### Simulation

GTR Configuration/CLAWS

Fix Base Simulation

HQ/ Control Law Eval

DS/VMS Virtual Prototype

Specification

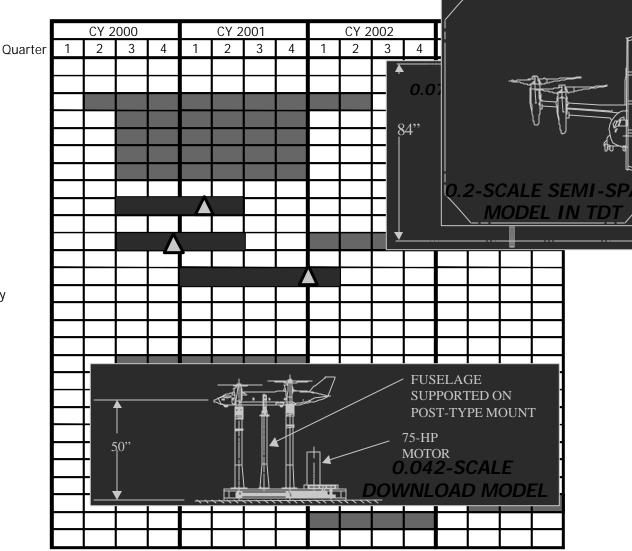
Design

Fabrication

Assembly

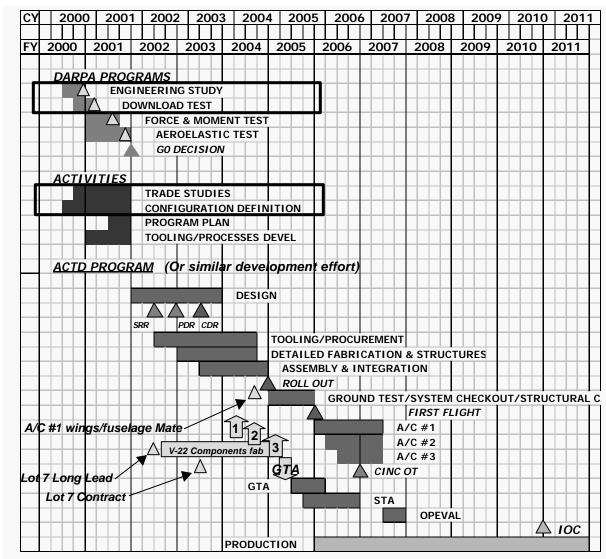
Test Tooling

Fuselage Mockup





#### **QTR Development Program Schedule**







#### Efficient approach to Large QTR

